

ORDINANCE 90-50

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 14  
OF THE BLOOMINGTON MUNICIPAL CODE  
ENTITLED "PEACE AND SAFETY"

WHEREAS, earlier in 1990 a fine schedule was enacted in an effort to diminish the number of false burglary and emergency alarm runs; and

WHEREAS, since that enactment, the number of public safety calls for this purpose has decreased; and

WHEREAS, it appears the public has since been educated regarding the proper usage of such alarms;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, MONROE COUNTY, INDIANA, THAT:

SECTION I. Section 14.40.060(b) Violations shall be repealed and re-enacted to read as follows:

The fine for each ordinance violation cited at the same location will be twenty-five dollars (\$25.00). The fifth and subsequent violations will be fifty dollars (\$50.00) each. The fines may be paid to the City of Bloomington Legal Department within seventy-two (72) hours of the issuance of the citation, in full satisfaction of the assessed penalty. In the event that such payment is not made within the prescribed period, proceedings shall be filed in the Monroe County Court.

SECTION II. Severability. If any section, sentence or provision of this ordinance, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances shall be declared invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any of the other sections, sentences, provisions, or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

SECTION III. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after passage by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, approval of the Mayor and promulgation according to law.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, County of Monroe, Indiana, upon this 14<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1990.

*IRIS KIESLING*

IRIS KIESLING, Council President  
Bloomington Common Council

ATTEST:

*PATRICIA WILLIAMS*

PATRICIA WILLIAMS, Clerk  
City of Bloomington